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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

In response to the Examiner's Communication of December 15, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 6, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- Modified hordothionin proteins are described in U.S. Pat. No. 5,990,389 issued November 23, 1999; U.S. Pat. No. 5,885,801 issued March 23, 1999; U.S. Ser. No. 08/824,382 filed March 26, 1997; and U.S. Pat. No. 5,703,409 issued December 30, 1997 the disclosures of which are incorporated herein in their entirety by reference. --